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**Before you read**

Before you watch video...

List anything you know about Japanese history. And draw a picture of your image of old Japan.

List anything you know about modern Japan. And draw a picture of your image of modern Japan.

After you watch videos, what was the part it was different from what you knew about old Japan? And draw a picture of Meiji period in Japan.

Japanese History in 5 minutes.　　Watch video and complete the table below.

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| Time (Century) | Event | Famous figures | Land marks etc... |
| 3rd century | Military |  | Powerful Clan  Tomb of emperor Nintoku |
| 6-7 century |  |  |  |
| Nara Period  8th century |  |  |  |
| Heian (794-1185) |  |  |  |
| Kamakura |  |  |  |
| Muromachi |  |  |  |
| Edo (Late 16th) |  |  |  |
| Meiji (1852-1912) |  |  |  |
| 20th century | Russo-Japan War |  |  |
| Post War period |  |  |  |

About Meiji Jidai: Go to the site: <http://www.artelino.com/articles/meiji-period.asp>

Summarize the following:

Emperor Meiji 1852-1912

The role of emperor Meiji

Meiji Period: The Great Leap Forward

Westernization and Industrialization

The Military during the Meiji Period

Military Victory over China and Russia

Political and Social Reforms

Architecture, Transportation and infrastructure

Economy of the Meiji period